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COUNTRY

Neubrandenburg-Trollenhagen Airfield

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TOPIC

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EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT

7 July to 13 September 1952

DATE OBTAINED

DATE PREPARED 20 October 1952

REFERENCES

PAGES

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ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)

REMARKS

DO NOT CIRCULATE

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1. Between 7 and 26 July 1952, no take-offs or landings were observed at Neubrandenburg-Trollenhagen airfield. No construction work was under way. The field was guarded by Soviet sentries.

2. Between 25 August and 13 September, Soviet soldiers were erecting a fence around the field. Poles, about 2 meters high, were being put into the ground along the northern side of the road between the hangars and the runway. Additional poles lay on the ground in line with the extension of the fence. The fence was not yet completed along the western and eastern sides of the field, but poles were put into the ground about 2 meters from the road. Since the road is located on an elevation, even a board fence will not prevent observation of the field from the road. *

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* Comment. The fighter regiment at Neubrandenburg airfield was transferred to Rostnitz about 10 March 1952. A rear detail apparently remained in Neubrandenburg. According to a previous report, the Adcock DF station and the inner landing beacon were still observed at the field. From this fact and the reported observation that the fence around the field is being completed it is inferred that the airfield will probably be reoccupied.

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held on 13 February 1952.

- (3) The T-34 tanks from the Sachsenhof Kaserne probably belong to the 70th Macz Regt which is carried there. A total of 20 tanks is more possible than a total of 10. The intensive training activity in the neighborhood of the military post, to judge from the strength of the units reported departing from, and returning to, the post, seems to have been held at company level or at the most battalion level in the middle of February.

- 25X1 (4) The troops entrained at the railroad station probably went to Weisswasser, where, [redacted] major components of the mechanized regiments from Cottbus started arriving for firing practice on 14 February 1952. [redacted] This also applies to the troops in the Funker Kaserne.

- 25X1 (5) The 122-mm artillery pieces, rocket launchers [redacted] confirm the 692d How Arty Regt and the 14th Gds RI Bn, which are carried in the Alvensleben Kaserne.

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